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BENJAMIN BIGELOW

IMPORTER OF AND DEALER IN

GUNS,

PISTOLS, AMMUNITION.

AND

SPORTING ARTICLES.

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MARYSVILLE, CALA.

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## MUZZLE LOADING SHOT GUNS.

**B. BIGELOW :** Fine laminated steel barrels, front action locks, spring triggers, oiled or varnished walnut stocks.

Gauge 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14.

Length of barrels 28 to 32 inches.

Weight from 7 to 8 pounds.

Price from \$..... to \$.....

These guns are made to my order and by the same firm who make my Breech Loading guns. They have always given the very best satisfaction all over the country. They are pronounced "the" guns by all who have used them. All guns marked "B. Bigelow, Marysville, Cal.," are warranted as to shooting qualities.

**LONDON FINE TWIST :** Twist barrels, front and back action locks, oiled stocks, and plain finish. Made by Wm. Moore, and others.

Gauge 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14.

Length of barrels 28 to 36 inches.

Weight from 7 to 12 pounds.

Price from \$..... to \$.....

**U. S. MUSKETS :** a good supply of these guns always on hand.

Single barrel shot guns for boys. Durably made, steel and twist barrels, gauge 16 and 24.

A fair price will be paid for second hand guns.

## BREECH LOADING SHOT GUNS.

**B. BIGELOW :** Fine laminated and damascus steel barrels, front action locks, oiled or varnished walnut stocks, top snap action, spring triggers, plain or pistol grip stocks, gauge 12.

Length of barrels 30 to 32 inches.

Weight from 7 to 10 pounds.

Price from \$..... to \$.....

These guns are pronounced by judges to be strong durably made guns, and cheap for the money. They are made by J. P. Clabrough & Bro., Birmingham, England, their reputation as first class gun makers is known all over the country.

**J. P. CLABROUGH & BRO :** Fine laminated steel barrels, front action locks, oiled walnut stocks, spring triggers, top or side snap action, gauge 10 and 12.

Length of barrels 30 to 32 inches.

Weight from 7 to 10 pounds.

Price from \$..... to \$.....

**W. W. GREENER :** Fine laminated steel barrels, front action locks, oiled walnut stocks, spring triggers, top and side snap action, patent treble wedge fast, gauge 12.

Length of barrels 30 to 32 inches.

Weight from 7 to 8 pounds.

Price from \$..... to \$.....

**TIPPING & LAWDEN :** Fine Laminated steel barrels, front and back action locks, oiled walnut stocks, spring triggers, top or side snap action, gauge 10 and 12.

Length of barrels 28 to 32 inches.

Weight from 7 to 12 pounds.

Price from \$..... to \$.....

**N. B.** All the above guns have **REBOUNDING LOCKS.**

**REMINGTON :** Plain steel barrels, front action locks, oiled walnut stocks, spring triggers, top action, gauge 12.

Length of barrels 28 to 30 inches.

Weight from 7 to 8 pounds.

Price from \$..... to \$.....

Wm. Moore, Williams & Powel, London Fine Twist, and other cheap breech loaders. I would advise purchasers to buy a good substantial gun or none at all. A poorly made breech loader is like anything else that is poorly made. A cheap muzzle loading gun is preferable to a cheap breech loader.

Repairing of breech loading guns neatly and promptly executed.

All kinds of breech loading implements, such as loaders, closing machines, cutters, extractors, etc.

## MUZZLE LOADING RIFLES.

**BILLINGHURST'S REPEATING RIFLE :** A Cylinder gun with seven chambers, using pill primers. These guns are always sure fire, and one was never known to discharge more than one chamber at one time. They have fine black walnut varnished stocks, set triggers, and are rifled through cylinder and barrel. They are made by me and are warranted to be first class shooting guns.

Calibre from 55 to 65.

Length of barrels from 30 to 34 inches.

Weight from 10 to 14 pounds.

Price from \$..... to \$.....

**FINE TELESCOPE RIFLES :** Extra fine finish, oiled or varnished black walnut stocks, and set triggers. A fine telescope for long range shooting. Great care is taken in rifling and finishing. They

are warranted equal to any target gun that is made.

Calibre from 50 to 100.

Length of barrels from 30 to 34 inches.

Weight from 10 to 18 pounds.

Price from \$..... to \$.....

**DOUBLE BARREL RIFLES:** The barrels are arranged side by side and one above the other. Varnished stocks, and set triggers. A good durable gun for all kinds of hunting.

Calibre from 60 to 65.

Length of barrels from 30 to 34 inches.

Weight from 8 to 12 pounds.

Price from \$..... to \$.....

**PLAIN HUNTERS RIFLES:** A good plain substantial gun. Oiled or varnished stocks, with or without set triggers.

Calibre from 30 to 140.

Length of barrels from 30 to 40 inches.

Weight from 8 to 15 pounds.

Price from \$..... to \$.....

All the above guns are made with steel barrels, except the plain hunters rifles, which are either iron or steel, just as the owner wishes.

The calibre represented above means so many round balls to the pound.

Rifles of any weight, calibre, and description made to order.

Besides the above I have a large assortment of second hand rifles, all weights and sizes, which I will sell at a low figure. Second hand guns bought and traded for.

All kinds of repairing on rifles will be neatly executed and to the owners entire satisfaction.

All guns made by me are proved and the shooting qualities ascertained, and none sold that are not *good shooting guns*. Parties buying my guns will find what I say is true in every particular.

## **BREECH LOADING RIFLES.**

**E. REMINGTON & SONS:** Single shot rifles, steel barrels, with or without set triggers, oiled stocks, plain finish.

Calibre 40, 44, 45, and 50, central fire.

Length, of barrels, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, and 34 inches.

Weight from 8 1/2 to 15 pounds.

Price from \$..... to \$.....

The Remington rifle needs no comments as its reputation as a long range gun is known all over the world. Reloading tools consisting of bullet moulds, loader and primer, for central fire shells, extra. Front and back sights made to suit the purchaser.

**SHARPS:** Single shot rifles, steel barrels, with or without set triggers, oiled stocks, plain finish.

Calibre 40, 41, 45, and 50, central fire.

Length of barrels, 24, 25, 28, 30, and 32, inches.

Weight from 8 to 12 pounds.

Price from \$..... to \$.....

Sharps rifles have about the same reputation as the Remington. Reloading tools, front and back sights, extra.

**BALLARD RIFLE:** Single shot rifles, steel barrels, with or without set triggers, oiled stocks, plain finish.

Calibre 41 central fire.

Length of barrels, 28, and 30 inches.

Weight from 8 to 12 pounds.

Price from \$..... to \$.....

The new model Ballard rifle is fast gaining a good reputation as a long range target and hunting gun. It is the cheapest long range gun sold, the price coming within reach of all. Reloading tools, front and back sights extra.

**SPENCER SPORTING RIFLE:** Seven shot rifles, steel barrels, with or without set triggers, oiled stocks, plain finish.

Calibre 45 and 52 rim fire.

Length of barrels from 30 to 34 inches.

Weight from 10 to 14 pounds.

Price from \$..... to \$.....

I would call the attention of sportsmen and hunters in general to the above rifle. The works are the same as the old Spencer carbines, fitted up with good steel barrels, set triggers, and ramrod for cleaning. All the guns are shot before they are offered for sale.

**WINCHESTER RIFLE:** Twelve to fifteen shots, steel barrel, with or without set trigger, oiled stocks, plain finish.

Calibre 41 central fire.

Length of barrels, 24, 25, 28, and 30 inches.

Weight from 8 1-2 to 10 pounds.

Price from \$..... to \$.....

Almost every one knows about this gun, it being a rapid firing, and good short range hunting rifle. Reloading tools, front and back sights extra.

**HENRY:** I have a few of the old style rim fire Henry rifles on hand and will sell them cheap.

**PARLOR RIFLES:** Small, 22 calibre, and good squirrel guns.

All the above guns have octagon barrels except the Winchester rifles, which have either round or octagon barrels.

Repairs on breech loading guns neatly executed.

## CARTRIDGE PISTOLS.

The following are a few of the styles which I keep on hand.

FOREHAND & WADSWORTHS, (double action.)

SMITH & WESSON, (automatic ejector.)

REMINGTON, (2-cylinder.)

ENGLISH BULL DOGS,

STANDARD TOOL CO.,

COLT'S NEW MODEL,

HOPKINS & ALLEN,

U. S. ARMS CO.,

J. M. MARLIN,

SHARPS, ETC.

The above pistols are either blued, nickled, ivory nickled, or ivory nickled and engraved. The calibres are 22, 32, 38, 41, 44, and 45, rim and central fire, long and short. The English bull dog is .442 and .450 central fire.

—OLD STYLE—

Colts and others, which I will sell at a very low figure.

## HUNTING IMPLEMENTS AND OUTFITS.

James Dixon's Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches and Belts, Dram Flasks, and Breech Loading Implements.

Hunting Coats, Game Bags, Fishing Stockings, Cartridge Bags and Belts, Gun Covers, Telescopes, Powder Horns, Pistol and Knife Scabbards, Belts, Drinking Cups, Canteens, Wiping Sticks, Bullet Starters and Swedges, Cone wrenches, Screw Drivers, Melting Ladles, Wad Cutters, Bullet Moulds, etc.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

DOG COLLARS,	PAD LOCKS,	BUCK SAWS,
COLLAR LOCKS,	TRUNK LOCKS,	SAW BLADES,
DOG WHISTLES,	CORK SCREWS,	RAZOR STRAPS,
DOG CHAINS,	KEY RINGS,	TWEEZERS,
PLYERS, KEYS,	GLOVES, FILES,	KNIFE BLADES,
WHITE'S TRUSSES,	CAP PRIMERS,	BRASS WIRE, &c.

## CUTLERY.

GEO. WOSTENHOLM & SON., W. & S. BUTCHER, II. BOKER,  
MANHATTAN, HILGER & SON, II. SEYMOUR,  
J. CAIR, N. Y. CUTLERY CO.,  
J. ROGERS & SON,  
WILSON,

And other makers too numerous to mention.

## SPRING-EYED NEEDLES.

These Needles are made by hand, and are of the finest cutlery steel. They are made, finished, and tempered by me personally. I have sold hundreds of them, all over this state and Oregon, and never had one give the least dissatisfaction. Every one who uses them will buy no other. They are for sewing Grain and Flour Sacks. The advantage over the old needle is in the eye which has a spring so as to thread easily and quickly. Any length made to suit purchaser. Will send them C. O. D., or by Mail on receipt of price.

## GUN MATERIALS.

I keep on hand a large assortment of Gun and Pistol parts, Ram rods, Cones, Blanks for Bullet Moulds, Ramrod Heads and Wormers, Gun Stocks and Mountings, Patent Breeches, Cylinders, Lock and Breechpin Screws, Main Springs, Tumblers, Links, Sears and Springs, Hammers, Tumbler Screws, Gun Locks, Set Triggers Thimbles, Slides, Escutcheons, Ramrod Stops, Triggers and Plates, Muzzle Pieces, etc.

## REPAIRING.

Repairing of every description, neatly and cheaply executed, and to the owners entire satisfaction. Orders from the country quickly attended to.

## DISCOUNT.

A liberal discount to dealers. I would advise dealers in Guns, Rifles, and Pistols, to call on me before purchasing elsewhere. As I import a great many of my goods directly from Europe, I can sell at a very low price.

B. BIGELOW, No. 95 D STREET, MARYSVILLE,

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## AMMUNITION.

### Caps and Wads.

Eley Bros., Wads, Gun and Pistol Caps. Union Metallic Cartridge Co's., Caps.

### Powder.

The California Powder Co., Hazard Powder Co., Dupont, and Laffin & Rand, of all grades and qualities.

### Shot.

The Selby Smelting & Lead Co's., Drop Shot, Bullets, and Lead.

### Cartridges.

Eley Bro's. Metallic Cartridges, Wire Cartridges, and Breech Loading Cartridge Shells.

Union Metallic Cartridge Co's Metallic Cartridges, Breech Loading Metallic and Paper Shells.

Winchester Repeating Arms Co's., Metallic Cartridges all sizes.

Billinghurst's Percussion Priming.

An assortment of OLD STYLE Cartridges, for pistols and guns.

## DIRECTIONS.

Parties from a distance ordering goods from me will be dealt with, the same as they would be if they were in Marysville, and at as low a figure. When ordering goods, be particular to state by what conveyance you want them sent. Write address plain so there will be no mistake, and unnecessary delay. Anything that is not herein mentioned I will order on application. Goods sent C. O. D. or otherwise to any part of the country.

**BENT. BIGELOW.**

No. 95 D STREET,

P. O. BOX, 128.

MARYSVILLE, CAL.